ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the <u>CITY of LAGRANGE</u>, by the <u>OFFICE OF PURCHASING</u>, <u>CITY HALL</u>, <u>200 RIDLEY AVENUE</u>, <u>ROOM 301</u>, <u>LAGRANGE</u>, <u>GEORGIA 30240</u> until:

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2015, 11:00 AM, Local Time

For the construction of:

CITY OF LAGRANGE, GEORGIA CAMPBELL STREET WATER TANK EXTERIOR REHABILITATION

at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids received after the designated time will not be considered. Bids received late will be returned unopened.

The tank will be available for inspection by contractors by appointment. Contact the water superintendent at (706) 883-2136 for site access. The tank will not be drained for inspection of the interior.

The approximate extent and character of the Work is generally described as follows:

Abrasive blasting cleaning and coating the exterior of the Campbell Street 1,000,000 gallon, riveted steel, elevated, water storage tank. Containment and disposal of environmentally sensitive dust and blasting debris is required. Access to the tank is via Campbell Street in LaGrange, Georgia, coordinates 33° 03' 0.1", 85° 01' 46.2"

Bidders shall inform themselves concerning Georgia Laws and comply with same. All bidders shall **complete and submit with any bid** a notarized affidavit (forms attached) in compliance with O.C.G.A. Section 13-10-91 attesting to the Bidder's registration with the Federal work authorization program.

The time allowed for Substantial Completion is 100 calendar days, and the time allowed for completion and readiness for final payment is 130 calendar days from the date of commencement.

A hard copy of the contract documents is available from the engineer for a fee of \$100.00 payable to Atkins North America, Inc. in check or money order. Digital copies of the contract documents will not be made available. Contractors must provide the name of their firm, street address, phone number, contact person, and e-mail address for information and addendums. The \$100.00 fee is non-refundable.

The Engineer is: <u>ATKINS NORTH AMERICA</u>, 1600 Riveredge Parkway NW, Suite 600, <u>Atlanta</u>, <u>GA 30328</u>, <u>John Sims (678) 581-3479</u>, e-mail: <u>john.sims@atkinsglobal.com</u>. E-mail all questions.

The OWNER is not obligated to consider a Bidder's proposal, if the Bidder is not on record with the Issuing Office as having received <u>complete</u> Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office.

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Contractors, who are not familiar to the Engineer must supply the following information with their request for bidding documents.

- 1. A list of all similar contracts performed by the Contractor during the past three years.
- 2. Name of Owner and Engineer for each project listed.
- 3. A description of each project including the total contract price of each contract.
- 4. A current financial statement.
- 5. A current position of bondability.

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- 6. A current bank letter of credit or reference.
- 7. A current list of officers and directors of the applicant's firm.
- 8. A current list of equipment owned by the applicant's firm.
- 9. Indicate how many years has the company operated under the current name? If less than five years, list all previous names company has operated under.

Each Bid must be accompanied by a Bid Bond with good and sufficient surety or sureties approved by the owner for faithful acceptance of the contract, payable to, in favor of, and for the protection of the Owner in an amount equivalent to five percent (5%) of the total amount payable by the terms of the contract or, in lieu thereof, in the form of a certified check, cashier's check, or cash in equal amount. Said check or bond will be returned to the unsuccessful bidder as soon as the contract or contracts have been awarded to the successful bidder as soon as he has executed the contract or contracts and furnished the necessary bonds, same having been approved by the City's attorney and the Contract has been executed by the City.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish performance and payment bonds with the executed Agreement meeting the requirements of the Contract Documents and executed on the forms included in these specifications. The terms and time for payment are set forth in the Agreement.

All Bids will remain subject to acceptance for <u>ninety (90)</u> days after the day of the Bid opening, but Owner may, in its sole discretion, release any Bid and return the Bid security prior to that date.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, to waive formalities, re-advertise, and to reduce or add to the contract from time to time.

CITY OF LAGRANGE, GEORGIA
By
Robi Higgins, CPPO
Purchasing Agent
City of LaGrange, Georgia

CITY OF LAGRANGE OFFICE OF PURCHASING COUNTY OF TROUP

CONTRACTOR AFFIDAVIT UNDER O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91(b)(1)

COMES NOW before me, the undersigned officer duly authorized to administer oaths, the undersigned contractor, who, after being duly sworn, states as follows: By executing this affidavit, the undersigned vendor verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A § 13-10-91, stating affirmatively that the individual, firm or corporation which is engaged in the physical performance of services on behalf of the City of LaGrange has registered with, is authorized to use and uses the federal work authorization program commonly known as E-Verify, in accordance with the applicable provisions and deadlines established in O.C.G.A § 13-10-91. Furthermore, the undersigned vendor will continue to use the federal work authorization program through the contract period and the undersigned vendor will contract for the physical performance of services in satisfaction of such contract only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the vendor with the information required by O.C.G.A § 13-10-91(b). Vendor hereby attests that its federal work authorization user identification number and date of authorization are as follows: Company ID Number (E-Verify Number) 6 digits Date of Authorization OR I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that I (name), have zero employees and thereby am exempt from the above regulations. OR _I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that ____(vendor name) does not engage in the physical performance of services on behalf of the City of LaGrange and thereby is exempt from the above regulations. I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on ___/ ___/ 20____ in _____(city), _____(state). (Vendor Name) (Signature of Authorized Officer or Agent) (Printed Name and Title of Authorized Officer or Agent) SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME ON THIS THE DAY OF, _____ My commission expires: _____ **Notary Public**